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FRANK MAYO in
"THE GIRL IN NO. 29"

Frank Mayo
IN THE UNIVERSAL
SPECIAL ATTRACTION
"The Girl in No. 29."

Also a fine comedy "Vamp and Varieties"

BLACKMAIL NOTE FAILS TO SCARE POSTOFFICE HEAD

"This is a sheer case of blackmail," said a postoffice employee this morning, as she handed a letter to Postmaster G. E. Brown, to whom it was addressed.

On reading it, Mr. Brown agreed to the same opinion as that expressed by his assistant, and handed it to a newspaper reporter, asking his opinion also.

The newspaper reporter read the letter and agreed that it was the briefest piece of blackmail he had ever seen.

The letter referred to was signed by Eunice Skaggs of Topeka, Kansas, who wrote asking for information as to whether her two boys, who had been sent by express from Topeka to Ogden, had arrived safely. She said the postmaster they were addressed to 111 Twenty-seventh street.

The two boys referred to are the "Picninnies" who arrived in Ogden by express on Tuesday and were safely delivered to their father.

"If all black mail letters gave us as much pleasure to reply to as this, it would be a happy world," said G. E. B.

Scout Commissioner Inspects Troop 21

Will C. King, commissioner of the Boy Scout organization of the city inspected the work of Troop 21 at the Third ward meeting house last night and pronounced himself as pleased with the progress made by the 55 boys in the membership of the troop.

According to Scout Executive George A. Goates, Troop 21 is remarkable in that it commenced its history with only seven boys under the instruction of D. Llewellyn Roberts and has proved itself one of the most efficient troops in the city as regards the detailed knowledge of a scout's education.

Ogden Girl Reported Missing to Police

Police are searching for Alice May Harris, a 12 year old Ogden girl, who disappeared from her home in this city yesterday afternoon. When last seen she was entering a side car of a motorcycle and was seen to drive off with an unknown man.

The girl was exceptionally large for her age and looked to be 17 or 18 years old.

No trace of the girl has yet been found aside from a report that a girl was seen riding in the side car of a motorcycle on Twenty-fourth street, between Washington and Grant avenues this morning at 3 o'clock.

A familiar pest is the tent caterpillar, which is destructive to all fruit trees.

NO MONEY REQUIRED

Our close out millinery sale is progressing beyond our expectations. Our stock will be down to a minimum in a few days. The remainder will then be sold for a lump sum and building and fixtures leased to the buyer.

The buyer will not be required to pay cash down. Good security is all that will be necessary.

SATURDAY

Hundreds of our hats will go Saturday at this close out sale of one-third off. This sale is unusual in that our prices were already only half the usual price.

Milliners who originally priced their stock for two-thirds more than they should, now offer one-third off, too. See our hats and the unbelievable prices and quality before you buy.

SKAGGS'

ILL LUCK BESETS AGED TRAVELER

Leaves Suitcase Behind, Gets Off Train and Meets With Trying Experience

James R. Burton, 85 years old, traveling from Oakland, Cal., to Wisconsin, who yesterday lost and recovered a suitcase containing \$300 in cash, two checks amounting to \$500 and his certificate of deposit amounting to \$8,000 on west coast banks, continued his journey from Ogden today.

Burton arrived in Ogden on train No. 26 last evening. In the confusion of changing trains, he misplaced his suitcase. The missing bag was turned over to the depot master for safe keeping.

After getting about 7 miles from Ogden, Burton it is claimed was either put off or jumped off the east bound train, and started for Ogden. This occurred shortly after 7 o'clock. At 10:35 o'clock, G. E. Mitchell, a railroad employee, who was returning to his home in Riverdale, found Burton at the Riverdale road.

Burton said he had fallen through the ties that crossed the mill race, about a mile from Riverdale. His face and arms were cut and scratched and his legs were bruised.

A passing auto was summoned and Burton was removed to the Union Depot where he recovered his grip. He had \$400 on his person when he arrived at the depot, in addition to the money in his grip.

FORM COUNTY BALL LEAGUE

Two Divisions Organized; Forfeitures Must Be in by May 27

A largely attended meeting of Weber county baseball fans, last night at the offices of the Weber county farm bureau in the Federal building and perfected the organization of the Weber County Baseball league.

A constitution for the two divisions of the league was submitted and approved, and the officers of a division were elected as follows: A. W. Marriott, Warren, president; Josiah Perrin, Eden, vice-president; H. L. Jensen, Pleasant View, secretary and treasurer.

The teams to play in the A division are Huntsville, Eden, Liberty, Pleasant View, Farr West, Plain City, Hooper, Clinton and South Weber.

The officers of B division are: A. J. Taylor, county boys and girls club leader, president; S. C. Hadley, Taylor, vice-president; G. A. Wheeler, Slaterville, secretary and treasurer.

The teams of this division are Slaterville, Taylor, Kaneshville, Warren, State Industrial School, Plain City and Hooper.

R. M. Steel, of the State Industrial school, O. V. Belmont, Slaterville, J. W. Petersen, Kaneshville, were elected members at large of the executive committee.

Thursday, May 27, is the date set by which forfeitures must reach the secretary-treasurers of the two divisions, and it is expected that the schedule of games will be published Saturday, May 29.

Juveniles Held for Alleged Burglary

Because of an increase in the number of juvenile crimes in this city recently, two members of the police department have devoted practically all their time for the past two weeks in rounding up youngsters with a propensity for stealing.

Joe Coleman, aged 14, and William Roger, 14, were arrested yesterday on a charge of burglarizing the Corey apartments and removing a shotgun and a rifle. They were remanded to the juvenile court for hearing. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of other juveniles suspected of recent burglaries. The firearms belonged to A. B. Corey.

An evening of plantation melodies and minstrelsy, consisting of solos, duets and choruses, at the Methodist Church tonight. Adults 35c, children 20c. 1789

The queen of the Belgians studied medicine as a girl.

Pleasant View	Weber Normal
L. Budge.....	Hill
.....	Catcher
Maycock.....	Farley-Doxey-Croft
.....	Pitchers
W. Budge.....	Lindsay
.....	First base
L. Cragun.....	Linford
.....	Second base
Barnett.....	Doxey
.....	Third base
Wade.....	Halliday
.....	Shortstop
Chamberlain.....	Walberg
.....	Right field
Jones.....	Price
.....	Center field
Thimmes.....	Brewer
.....	Left field

Unsettled Weather With Rain Tonight

"Unsettled tonight and Saturday. Possibly showers tonight. Cooler Saturday." This was the substance of the weather report received in Ogden this morning from the United States weather bureau.

Yesterday's maximum temperature was 75 degrees with a minimum of 45 degrees. This morning the minimum was 53 degrees.

CARD OF THANKS

For the many acts of kindness and sympathy extended to me during the late illness and death of my beloved husband, I wish to sincerely thank, and especially the Knights of Pythias, No. 2, Masonic lodge, B. of L. F. and E., and the Masonic lodge of Elko, Nev.

MRS. CHARLES EVERETT CADY.

DYKES BUILT TO PROTECT FARMS

River Level Falls Three Inches But Land West of Ogden Inundated

Although the waters of the Ogden river fell three inches last night and early this morning, and now stand at its height only slightly over five feet, it is estimated that fully 1,400 acres of land are under water in Slaterville, Warren, West Weber and Marriott. The river banks held well in sections through the city, but in the lower sections the water spread into huge lakes.

The Slaterville district is in more serious condition than others, according to reports received this morning, and the estimate of acreage which is under cultivation and now inundated is as follows: Cowan farm, 175 acres; Chadwick farm, 75 acres; Slater farm, 40 acres; Webb farm, 20 acres; Richardson farm, 30 acres; Foy-Waymott farm, 155 acres.

Dykes built by farmers of the Slaterville district during the past few days are reported to have saved many other valuable farm acreages from being flooded.

C. H. Martin, city street supervisor, is spending practically all of his time in the river district with a crew of men, closely watching various points and enlarging dykes. In the district below the point where the Weber and Ogden rivers join, the water is reported to have spread out to nearly four miles in width. In the Hooper district on the south side of the Weber-Ogden river, it is said the flood waters cover an area of about three miles from the river.

ARMORY NEEDS TO BE TAKEN UP

Smoker to Which Business Interests Invited at Weber Club Tomorrow

A conference and smoker at which light refreshments will be served is to be held at the Weber club tomorrow night.

Leading citizens, representatives of business organizations, and professional men have been invited to hear reports from the Ogden Chamber of Commerce committee on the proposed armory to be erected here.

Parley T. Wright, John S. Lewis and Frank J. Stevens, members of the armory committee have signed a letter of invitation which has been widely distributed through the city and it is expected there will be a large attendance when the details of the proposal to erect an armory at an estimated cost of \$87,000 will be made clear.

The meeting is to be in the nature of a conference for discussion on the proposal and no donations are to be asked for or accepted.

CENTRAL JUNIOR GIRL HAS PERFECT RECORD FOR YEAR

Virginia Greene, daughter of Dr. S. Elliott Green, finished her studies at the Central Junior High school today and will proceed to high school studies in September which has been widely distributed through the city and it is expected there will be a large attendance when the details of the proposal to erect an armory at an estimated cost of \$87,000 will be made clear.

The meeting is to be in the nature of a conference for discussion on the proposal and no donations are to be asked for or accepted.

Mrs. J. D. Wood Dies at Salt Lake Hospital

Mrs. J. D. Wood, mother of Hugh C. Wood, well known citizen of Ogden, died this morning at the Holy Cross Hospital, Salt Lake City after a serious operation performed to relieve her of gallstone trouble.

Up to two days ago Mrs. Wood was progressing nicely when a turn for the worse set in.

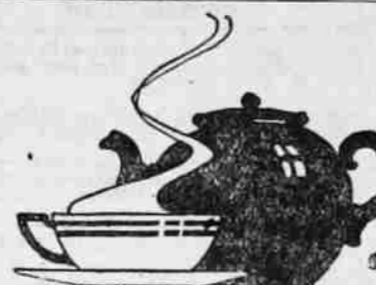
Mrs. Wood was the widow of the late J. D. Wood of Spencer, Ida, and Salt Lake city a well known sheepman and founder of the Wood Livestock company in which at the time of her death Mrs. Wood was a large stockholder.

In addition to Hugh C. Wood of Ogden, the deceased is survived by a son, Frank J. Hagenbarth of Salt Lake, and Cassandra Wood of Chicago, Ill.

Funeral announcement will be made later.

Register Monday for Summer School Work

Registration for the summer school to be conducted under the supervision of John A. Junk, will be held Monday, from 8 a. m. to noon. Teachers will register students at the high school, Madison, Lewis, Mound Fort, and the Washington schools. Instruction will be given by Principal Junk, Mrs. Gertrude Colledge, Miss Consuelo Stewart and Miss Luna Fronsbeck.



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LIPTON'S TEA
Largest Sale in the World

GIVES PROGRAM OF SCOUT MEET

Scout Executive Goates Announces Plans for Event Here Next Monday

The detailed program of the "Scout Leadership Conference" to be held here Monday, May 24, was given out this morning and, according to Scout Executive George A. Goates, has been sent out to every scout and scoutmaster in the city.

This will be the first time in the history of boy scout work in Ogden that such a conference has been held here, and the effect of it on the local organization is expected to result in more and better troops during the coming scout year.

Sessions will be held in the Reed hotel. Attending will be scout leaders from Ogden, Salt Lake, Logan, Pocatello, Boise, Ida, and Butte, Mont.

The program follows:

- PROGRAM**
- 1:30 p. m.—Assembly at the Reed hotel.
 - 2:00 p. m.—"The Over-Night Hike".
 - Charles N. Miller, Los Angeles
 - (a) Object of the hike
 - (b) The flag ceremony
 - (c) Camp fire songs and stories
 - (d) Discipline (drill)
 - (e) Records—photos—nature specimens
 - (f) Scouting through games
 - 3:00-4:00—"The Fundamentals of the Camp".....Dr. Charles G. Plummer, Chairman Camp Com., S. L. C.
 - (a) Object
 - (b) Sanitation
 - (c) Cooking
 - (d) Standards—including permits and regulations
 - (e) Nature study—how to teach it
 - The above subjects to be presented in one-half hour with one-half hour devoted to general discussion.
 - 4:00-5:30—"Nature Study Hike" through Ogden parks.....F. S. Baker, National Forest Examiner
 - Group Instructors.....
 -Dr. G. H. Hill, U. S. A. C.
 -F. S. Baker, U. S. Forest Service
 -Dr. Chas. G. Plummer, Naturalist
 - 5:30-6:30—Lecture time, special conferences and rest
 - 6:30-7:30—Banquet.....Reed Hotel
 - Scout Officials Guests of the Ogden Council
 -O. A. Kirkham, Scout Executive, S. L. C.
 - 8:15-8:30—"The Scoutmaster's Inspiration".....Dr. Geo. H. Hill, Utah Agricultural College
 - 8:30-9:30—Round table.....National Field Executive
 - (a) Opening of question box
 - (b) Discussion
 - 9:30—Taps.

American Legion Asks Stores to Decorate

Letters are being sent from American Legion headquarters here to all business men and merchants of Ogden, urging that they decorate stores and install window displays for the American Legion convention, which is to be held in Ogden May 31, June 1 and 2.

More than 600 delegates and legion members are expected from all parts of the state and Norman Sims, chairman of the decoration committee, has pointed out in his letter to the merchants the impression which will be created through the dressing of the city for the event.

Speakers will appear before members of the Ogden Chamber of Commerce who meet tomorrow night and will outline the decoration idea. The letters urging the merchants to co-operate in the decoration movement will be sent out late today, it was announced.

School Baseball Champs Given Cup

At the closing exercises of the Central Junior High school yesterday presided over by D. H. Adams, principal, a program of songs and readings was enjoyed by the student body and the surprise of the afternoon came when the members of the Central Junior High school baseball team presented the school with a silver loving cup. The speech of presentation was made by F. W. Wiggins, coach of the team.

The Central Junior team won the contest in the six games played with the Lewis Junior and Mound Fort Junior high teams.

More raw cocoa is consumed in the United States annually than in any other country.



You'll Not Forget This Picture Very Soon Let's Go

STARTS TODAY
For Three Days, 1:45 to 11 p. m.

The Venus of the Screen
OLIVE THOMAS
In Her Greatest Picture

"Footlights and Shadows"
Original in Plot, Marvelous in Its Beauty, Unequaled in Dramatic Suspense
Also "SNUB" POLLARD COMEDY and PATHE REVIEW
OGDEN THEATRE
"Supremacy in Pictures"

FOR SALE
Five room modern brick bungalow with sleeping porch, laundry tubs, fruit and storage room, vegetable room, hot water heat, gas, garage, etc., on Monroe avenue, one-half block from Twenty-fourth street.
APPLY OWNER 702 ECCLES BLDG.

Higher Pay Granted to Enlisted Sailors

Following the announcement of increased pay for U. S. navy personnel, four enlistments of local men were recorded today at the Ogden navy recruiting station. Those accepted were:

P. D. Hender, Layton, fireman third class three years, for the machinist's school at Norfolk, Va.; L. Johnson, Evanston, Wyo., fireman third class, two years, for Goat Island, Cal.; W. M. Wardleigh, Ogden, fireman third class, machinist's school, two years; J. G. Child, Ogden, apprentice seaman in hospital corps, Mare Island, two years. Hender and Johnson went to Salt Lake yesterday and the others leave today.

The following telegram was received today:

"The president has approved the following rates of pay, retroactive to Jan. 1, 1920:

Chief petty officers, permanent, \$126 per month, acting, \$99; petty officers first class, \$84; second class, \$72; third class, \$60. Non rated men, first class, \$54, second class, \$48, third class \$33. Provided that firemen, first class receive \$60, second class \$54; third class \$48; Cabin stewards and cooks, \$72, warrant officers, stewards and cooks, \$60. Mess-attendants, first class, \$42, second class, \$36, third class \$33. Base pay is not increased by ten per cent or by war increase.

"The above is in force until June 30, 1921." Liberal provision for reenlistments are also made.

Fugitive Caught on Ogden Police Advances

Through the report given out by Chief of Detectives Robert Burk, V. J. Saffro, alias Frank R. Linton, was arrested at Cheyenne, Wyo., according to information received here today.

Saffro, is wanted by Seattle authorities on a forgery charge. Chief Burk stated that he received information that Linton was wanted about 20 minutes too late, the man having departed from Ogden on a Union Pacific train. He immediately notified the Burns detective agency which was searching for the man and the man was later apprehended at Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Money for Sophomore Pins Taken From Desk

Kate Fenton, instructor at the Ogden High school, reported to the police that \$14.50, money given into her keeping by students of the sophomore class, has been removed from her desk during the noon hour yesterday. No clue as to the identity of the person who removed the money was discovered.

As school was dismissed at 10 o'clock this morning, little hope of recovering the money is entertained.

Stay of Sentence Granted Thorngren

A stay of sentence until July 19 was granted Eddie Thorngren following his appearance before Judge A. W. Agee on a charge of petit larceny to which the defendant entered a plea of guilty. He was released on a bond of \$200.

An investigation of the circumstances in the case by District Attorney S. P. Dobbs resulted in the reduction of the charge against Thorngren from grand larceny to the lesser charge. He is alleged to have stolen a diamond ring from an apartment house where he was at work.

When the case was called Thorngren's young wife sat at his side in the court and was active in securing his bond.

25th Street Stores Want Early Closing

Merchants of Twenty-fifth street have asked Mayor Frank Francis for aid in obtaining the adoption of an early closing schedule for all stores of that vicinity. They explained in a letter, which reached Mayor Francis this morning, that the majority of the storekeepers favored closing at 7 o'clock each evening, but that two merchants had refused to adopt the idea. They asked that Mayor Francis call on them and urge the adoption of the closing schedule.

Deaths and Funerals

SIMS—John Robert Sims, Jr., newly born son of John R. and Phyllis Wilson Sims died this morning at 4:30 at number 60 Argyle apartments. Interment was made in Ogden City cemetery.

BISCHOFF—Funeral services were held this afternoon for Richard James Bischoff, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bischoff, at Kirkendall's chapel. The babe died yesterday afternoon at the residence, 723 Twenty-third street. Dr. Ray Palmer officiated at the funeral.

Births

To Henry J. and Zina Becklund Bischoff, 723 Twenty-second street, boy.

To Royal Barney and Viola Barney Woolley, 2152 Adams avenue, boy.

To Joseph E. and Grace Klemsley Fackrell, 115 Patterson avenue, boy.

To Ole G. and Vivian Hutchinson Carlson, 774 Twentieth street, boy.

EXTINGUISH MINE FIRES.
JACKSON, Cal.—Fires which have been raging for more than a year in the levels of the Kennedy and Argonaut mines under this town have been extinguished.

The mines were flooded with water. This is now being pumped out.

A loud clap of thunder will often kill oysters.

BANQUET BETTER BUTTER

"From the Cream of the Cream"

from the beautiful Wasatch Mountains Meadows which afford abundance of pure clear water has a delightful flavor and satisfying taste that make your meal complete.

Your grocer has it fresh today.

Nelson-Ricks Creamery Co.
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